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25X1 1. [ ] Senator Birch Bayh (D., Ind.) visited  
Headquarters where he paid a brief call on the Director and was briefed  
25X1A on the military situation in the Communist Bloc and the Middle East by  
Bruce Clarke, D/OSR, and the general Southeast Asian situation by  
[ ] SAVA.

During his visit I mentioned to Senator Bayh our concern from a  
security standpoint that some of our sensitive operations might get a going  
over in the current military authorization debate. Bayh said he appreciated  
the problem, and we could be sure of his full support so far as our intelli- 25X1  
gence collection efforts were concerned. However, he said he couldn't  
help feeling that Congress should be kept better informed [ ]  
[ ]

25X1 2. [ ] Called Richard Capen, Assistant to the  
Secretary of Defense (Legislative Affairs), for information on U.S. military  
25X1 cut-backs to pass to Senator Milton Young in response to his request.  
Capen said he would have Colonel Anderson, of his staff, call me to provide  
details.

Received a call from Colonel Anderson who will try to assemble  
some documentary material by tomorrow.

25X1 3. [ ] Based on the advice of Personnel, I 25X1  
advised Jan Farnsworth, in the office of Representative J. Herbert Burke  
(R., Fla.), that we had no record of employment on [ ]  
See Journal of 31 July.

25X1 4. [ ] In keeping with our conversation of  
25X1X Friday, attempted to see Forrest Rettgers, Administrative Assistant to  
Senator Harry F. Byrd, Jr. (D., Va.), concerning the [ ]  
contract complaint. Rettgers was unavailable as he was on the floor with  
the Senator and he will call when he can see me on the matter.

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